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PATENT

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In re Application of

JOSEPH C. ZUERCHER et al.

Entitled:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REAL TIME)
DETERMINATION OF ARC FAULT ENERGY,)
LOCATION AND TYPE)

Serial No. 10/627,016

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 9, 2005, the following
remarks are submitted.

For convenience of reference by the Examiner, the Claims are shown in the
Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No amendment to any of the claims
is made or intended.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.